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The Minister's Dream.

Before commencing my story, I wish to state it is perfectly true in every particular.

"We quite understand that," said the sceptic of our party, who was wont in the security of friendly intercourse, to characterize all such prefaces as mere introductions to some tremendous blank, blank, blank, which trio the reader can fill up at his own pleasure and leisure.

On the occasion in question, however, we had donned our best behavior a garment which did not sit ungracefully on some of us; and our host, who was about to draw out from the stores of memory one narrative for our entertainment was scarcely the person before whom even Jack Hill would have cared to express his cynical and unbelieving views.

We were seated, an incongurous company of ten persons, in the best room of an old manse among the Scottish hills. Accident had thrown us together and accident had driven us under the minister's hospital roof. Cold, wet and hungry, drenched with rain, sore of beaten by the wind, we had crowded through the door opened by a friendly hand, and now, wet no longer, the pangs of hunger assuaged with smoking rashers of ham, poached eggs, and steaming potatoes, we sat around a blazing fire drinking toddy out of tumblers, whilst the two ladies who graced the assemblage partook of a modicum of the same beverage from wineglasses.

Everything was eminently comfortable, but done upon the most correct principles. Jack could no more have taken it upon him to shock the minister's ears with some of the opinions he aired in Fleet street than he could have asked for more whisky with his water.

"Yes, it is perfectly true," continued the minister, looking thoughtfully at the fire. "I can't explain it. I cannot even try to explain it. I will tell the story exactly as it occurred, and leave you to draw your own conclusions from it."

None of us answered. We fell into listening attitudes instantly, and eighteen eyes fixed themselves by one accord upon our host.

He was an old man, but hale. The weight of eighty winters had whitened his head, but not bent it. He seemed as young as any of us—younger than Jack Hill, who was a reviewer and a newspaper hack, and whose way through life had not been altogether on easy lines.

"Thirty years ago, upon a certain Friday morning in August," began the minister, "I was sitting at breakfast in the room on the other side of the passage, where you ate your supper, when the servant girl came in with a letter she said a laddie, all out of breadth, had brought over from Dendeldy Manse. 'He was bidden rin a' the way,' she went on,' 'and he's fairly beaten.'

"I told her to make the messenger sit down and put food before him; and then, when she went to do my bidding, proceeded, I must confess with some curiosity, to break the seal of a missive forwarded in such hot haste.

"It was from the minister of Dendeldy, who had been newly chosen to occupy the pulpit his father occupied for a quarter of a century and more.

"The call from the congregation originated rather out of respect to the father's memory than any extraordinary liking for the son. He had been reared for the most part in England, and was somewhat distant and formal in his manners; and, though full of Greek and Latin and Hebrew, wanted the true Scotch accent that goes straight to the heart of those accustomed to the broad, honest, under Scottish tongue.

"His people were proud of him, but they did not just like all his ways. They could remember him a lad running about the whole countryside, and they could not understand, and did not approve of, his holding them at arm's length and shutting himself up among his books, and refusing their hospitality, and sending out word he was busy, when maybe some very decent man wanted speech with him. I had taken upon myself to point out that I thought he was wrong, and that he would alienate his flock from him. Perhaps it was for this very reason, because I was blunt and plain, he took to me kindly, and never got on his high horse, no matter what I said to him.

"Well, to return to the letter. It was written in the wildest haste, and entreated me not to lose a moment in coming to him, as he was in the very greatest distress and anxiety. 'Let nothing delay you,' he proceeded. 'If I cannot speak to you soon I believe I shall go out of my senses.'

"'What could be the matter?' I thought. 'What, in all the wide earth, could have happened?'

"I had seen him but a few days before, and he was in good health and spirits, getting on better with his people, feeling hopeful of so altering his style of preaching as to touch their hearts more sensibly.

"I must lay aside Southern ideas a well as accent, if I can,' he went on smiling. 'Men who live such lives of hardship and privation, who cast their seed into the ground under such rigorous skies, and cut their corn in fear and trembling at the end of late uncertain summers, who take the sheep out of the snow drifts and carry the lambs into shelter beside their own humble hearths, must want a different sort of sermon from him who sleeps soft and walks delicately.'

"I had implied something of all this myself, and it amused me to find my own thoughts come back clothed in different fashion and presented to me as strangers. Still, all I wanted was his good, and I felt glad he showed such aptitude to learn.

"What could have happened, however, puzzled me sorely. I made my hurried preparations for setting out and fairly perplexed myself with speculation. I went into the kitchen, where his messenger was eating some breakfast, and asked him if Mr. Crawley was ill.

"'I dinna ken,' he answered, 'He mad' no complaint, but he luiked awfu' bad, just awfu'.'

"'In what way?' I inquired.

"'As if he had seen a ghaist,' was the reply.

"This made me very uneasy, and I jumped to the conclusion the trouble was connected with money matters. Young men will be young men;" and here the minister looked significantly at the callow bird of our company, a youth who had never owed a sixpence in his life or given away a cent; while Jack Hill—no chicken, by the way—was over head and ears in debt, and could not keep a sovereign in his pocket, though spending or bestowing it involved going dinnerless the next day.

"Young men will be young men," repeated the minister, in his best pulpit manner. "Just as though any one expected them to be young women!" grumbled Jack to me afterwards, "and I feared that now he was settled and comfortably off, some old creditor he had been paying as best he could, might have become pressing. I know nothing of his liabilities, or, beyond the amount of the stipend paid him, the state of his pecuniary affairs; but having once in my own life made myself responsible for a debt, I was aware of all the trouble putting your arm out further than you can draw it back involved, and I considered it most probably money, which is the root of all evil)" ("and all good," Jack's eyes suggested to me), "was the cause of my young friend's agony of mind. Blessed with a large family—every one of whom is now alive and doing well, I thank God, out in the world—you may imagine I had not much opportunity for laying by; still, I had put aside a little for a rainy day, and that little I placed in my pocketbook, hoping even a small sum might prove of use in case of emergency."

"Come, you *are* a trump," I saw written plainly on Jack Hill's face; and he settled himself to listen to the remainder of the minister's story in a manner which could not be considered other than complimentary.

Duly and truly I knew quite well he had already devoted the first five guinea cheque he received to the poor of that minister's parish.

"By the road," proceeded our host, "Dendeldy is distant from here ten long miles, but by a short cut across the hills it can be reached in something under six. For me it was nothing of a walk, and accordingly I arrived at the manse ere noon."

He paused, and, though thirty years had elapsed, drew a handkerchief across his forehead ere he continued his narrative.

"I had to climb a steep brae to reach the front door, but ere I could breast it my friend met me.

"'Thank God you are come,' he said, pressing my hand in his. 'O, I am grateful.'

"He was trembling with excitement. His face was of a ghastly pallor. His voice was that of a person suffering from some terrible shock, laboring under some awful fear.

"'What has happened, Edward?' I asked. I had known him when he was a little boy. 'I am distressed to see you in such a state. Rouse yourself; be a man; whatever may have gone wrong can possibly be righted. I have come over to do all that lies in my power for you. If it is a matter of money'—

"'No, no; it is not money,' he interrupted; 'would that it were!' and he began to tremble again so violently that really he communicated some part of his nervousness to me, and put me into a state of perfect terror.

"'Whatever it is, Cawley, out with it,' I said; 'have you murdered anybody?'

"'No, it is worse than that,' he answered.

"'But that's just nonsense,' I declared. 'Are you in your right mind, do you think?'

"'I wish I were not,' he returned. 'I'd like to know I was stark, staring mad; it would be happier for me—far, far happier.'

"'If you don't tell me this minute what is the matter I shall turn on my heel and tramp my way home again,' I said half in passion, for what I thought his folly angered me.

"'Come into the house,' he entreated, "and try to have patience with me; for indeed, Mr. Morison, I am sorely troubled. I have been through the deep waters, and they have gone clean over my head."

We went into his little study and sat down. For a while he remained silent, his head resting upon his hand, struggling with some strong emotion; but after about five minutes he asked in a low subdued voice.

"'Do you believe in dreams?'

"'What has my belief to do with the matter in hand?' I inquired.

"'It is a dream, an awful dream, that is troubling me.'"

I rose from my chair.

"'Do you mean to say,' I asked, "you have brought me from my business and parish, to tell me you have had a bad dream?'

"'That is just what I do mean to say,' he answered. "At least it was not a dream—it was a vision; no, I don't mean a vision. I can't tell you what it was; but nothing I ever went through in actual life was half so real and I have bound myself to go through it all again. There is no hope for me, Mr. Morison. I sit before you a lost creature, the most miserable man on the face of the whole earth.'"

"What did you dream?" I inquired.

A dreadful fit of trembling again seized him; but at last he managed to say,

"'I have been like this ever since, and I shall be like this forever more, till—till—the end comes.'"

"When did you have your bad dream?" I asked.

"'Last night, or, rather, this morning,' he answered. I'll tell you all about it in a minute;' and he covered his face with his hands again.

"'I was as well when I went to bed, about 11 o'clock, as ever I was in my life,' he began, putting a great restrain upon myself, as I could see by the nervous way he kept knotting and unknotting his fingers. 'I had been considering my sermon, and felt satisfied I should be able to deliver a good one on Sunday morning. I had taken nothing after my tea, and I lay down in my bed feeling at peace with all mankind, blessings vouchsafed to me. How long I slept, or what I dreamt about at first, if I dreamt at all, I don't know; but after a time the mists seemed to clear from before my eyes, to roll away like clouds from a mountain summit, and I found myself walking on a beautiful summer's evening beside the river Deldy.

"He paused for a moment, and an irrepressible shudder shook his frame.

"'Go on,' I said, for I felt afraid of his breaking down again.

"He looked at me pitifully, with a hungry entreaty in his weary eyes, and continued:

"'It was a lovely evening. I had never thought the earth so beautiful before. A gentle breeze just touched my cheek, the water flowed on clear and bright, the mountains in the distance looked bright and glowing, covered with purple heather. I walked on and on till I came to that point where, as you may perhaps remember, the path, growing very narrow, winds round the base of a great crag and leads the wayfarer suddenly into a little greenamphitheatre, bounded on one side by the river and on the other by rocks that rise in places sheer to a height of a hundred feet and more.'

"'I remember it,' I said; 'a little farther on three streams meet and fall with a tremendous roar into the Witches' Caldron. A fine sight in the winter time, only that there is scarce any reaching it from below, as the path you mention and the little green oasis are mostly covered with water."

"'I had not been there before since I was a child,' he went on mournfully, 'but I recollected it as one of the most solitary spots possible, and my astonishment was great to see a man standing in the pathway with a drawn sword in his hand. He did not stir as I drew near, so I stepped aside on the grass. Instantly he barred my way.

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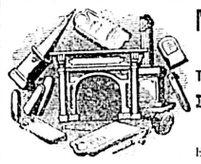

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THE HOSPITAL MATTER.

The government have raised a storm about their ears at New Westminster, as well as Victoria, because of their base and unmanly course on the Hospital resolution; and Messrs. BROWN, MCGILLIVRAY and HARRIS, members for Westminster City and District, in their eagerness to support everything the government favors have cooked a pretty kettle of fish for themselves; and, i'faith, they'll have to eat it. Mr. MCGILLIVRAY's and Mr. HARRIS' remarks were particularly offensive. They attacked the Westminster Hospital board in unmeasured terms and went so far as to declare that the money was expended upon one or two "favorites" of the board. The members of the Westminster board have unanimously tendered their resignations. Their card, which we give below, is the indignant expression of men who, working without fee or hope of reward to advance a charitable object, have been cruelly misrepresented. Here is the card. It speaks for itself:—

TO THE PUBLIC:—In surrendering the trust reposed in us as Managers of the Royal Columbian Hospital of this City, we have thought it due to the public, to the subscribers to that institution, and to ourselves to make the following statement:—

Having read in *The Colonist* and *Standard* newspapers the report of the proceedings in the legislative assembly, in adopting a resolution intended to make a radical change in the management of public hospitals, and having regard to the nature and tendency of that change, we have felt that we should be wanting in self-respect if we did not instantly resign our positions on the Board.

In adopting this course we desire to give the statement made by Mr. McGillivray and acquiesced in by Mr. Harris an emphatic denial, and at the same time express our astonishment that the member for this city could sit in his place in the House and listen to such false and slanderous assertions, so directly concerning his own constituency, without contradicting them.

The managers have never appealed to the public on behalf of the Hospital without meeting with a ready and generous response.

As regards the statement that the "revenue is expended among one or two favorites," we have to stigmatise it as a deliberate and malicious falsehood! The system of open competition has been carried out to the fullest possible extent, and the affairs managed with the most rigid economy.

(Signed)
JAMES MORRISON, President.
JOHN E. LORD, Gov't Appointee.
W. H. KEARY, Hon. Secretary.
JAS. W. HARVEY,
CHAS. G. MAJOR,
J. C. ARMSTRONG.

New Westminster, March 1, 1881.

It will be borne in mind that at the time the debate was going on attention was called to the fact that no complaint against the management of any of the hospitals in the province had been made. The mover was challenged to produce a single fact that would justify the change. He failed to do so, and still the mechanical majority—backed by Messrs. BROWN, MCGILLIVRAY and HARRIS—voted for the change. The *Herald*, which says that "Satan finds some mischief still for idle hands to do," gives the government and the Westminster members a well-deserved drubbing, and adds:

"Mr. McGillivray said he could speak for the hospital at New Westminster, and knew that the minority of the board of management of that establishment were afraid to make complaints," and he alluded to the smallness of the number of contributors, and said "the revenue was expended among one or two favorites." That the list of contributors is not as large as it ought to be, we are free to admit; but, then, Mr. McGillivray should not have thrown the first stone, inasmuch as a scrutiny of the lists reveals the fact that his own immediate neighborhood is the only one that has contributed *nothing!* But, in so far as Mr. McGillivray's remarks relate to the management of the institution there need be no hesitation whatever in pronouncing them utterly unjustifiable, and it is difficult to understand how the member for this constituency could permit such a slander to go unchallenged. We should scarcely feel surprised at anything the junior member for Victoria might say or do; but we must confess surprise at the part the senior member for New Westminster has played in this matter, and, recollecting the familiar fable of the monkey and the cat, one cannot help wondering whose cat he is.'

THE WOOLEN MILL SUBSIDY.

The House unanimously voted to offer $5000 for the erection of a woolen mill within the province. Exception was taken to the smallness of the grant; and Messrs. SMITHE and MARA did not fail to remind the minister of finance that four years ago he opposed a similar scheme and that his opposition then proved the means of defeating a project for the erection of a mill by capitalists at Victoria. We are some what sorry that the anti-Chinese clause was not retained; but it would probably have been evaded. It now remains for this municipality to liberally endow the scheme and to make a supreme effort to establish Victoria as a manufacturing centre. We are authorized by a large property-holder in the suburbs to say that he will donate all the land required as a site for the mill. What will the council do?

DEATH IN THE COFFEE POT.—The public are cautioned against purchasing imported California ground coffee. Its cheapness is its only recommendation. The ingredients are of the vilest description, as anyone using it will discover should he examine the grounds. During the perihelia of the planets people should be careful what they eat and drink. Don't allow your grocer to palm off his trash upon you, because it pays him better to sell it than the good article. Ask for FELL & Co.'s Coffee and take no other. *

WANTED.—Fifty laboring men to work on the Drydock immediately. *

"Bulldog" vs. "Watchdog."

TO THE EDITOR:—"Watchdog" is whining again through the *Standard*. You know that his assertion that Mr. O'Connor wrote the letter signed "Bulldog" is untrue. I have never worked with the party that appointed Mr. O'Conner, nor was he a favorite of mine when he was appointed. But, sir, I recognize ability and honesty even in an opponent, and I say again that the new Superintendent in trying to do his duty has been harrassed by just such mongrels as "Watchdog" and that similar whelps are to be found at the barracks and at the gaol—on the wrong side of the bars, unfortunately, for the public peace and security. "Watchdog" says I dare not give my name. If, Mr. Editor, he will publish his name I will certainly publish mine in your paper on the following day.

BULLDOG.

GREAT BARGAINS!

A. GILMORE, JOHNSON STREET, wishes to inform his friends and the public that he will for a short time sell AT COST the balance of his winter stock of Clothing, Boys' and Men's Overcoats and Ulsters, Monkey Jackets, Underclothing, Socks, Hats, Boots and Shoes. *

A Bloated Body,
Does not always belong to an inebriate. Kidney troubles will cause bloat, but Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure has never failed to move it. 11

BAGNALL & Co., Importers of Pianos, Organs and other musical instruments, have just received a number of iron frame English, French and German Pianos, which can be bought on easy terms. English Pianos from $240 to $400. French from $300 to $375. German from $275 to $500. Old Pianos bought or taken in exchange. Also, some splendid musical boxes and American Organettes. Organs from $45. *

MY DEAR FATHER AND MOTHER.—I sincerely hope that you will buy me a suit of clothes this Christmas and I shall be happy to help you make the selection from the new stock that has just been received by Mr. Joffree.—
* cHEaPFOReASh.

W. & A. GILBEY'S WINE AND SPIRITS.—A choice selection of Ports, Sherries, Dessert Clarets, Old Whiskies, Rum and Brandy ex Princess Royal from London. H. Saunders, Family Grocer, Johnson street *

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ROYAL HOSPITAL.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE Subscribers will be held at the City Hall on WEDNESDAY, March 9th, at 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing Directors, etc.
mh3 JOSEPH WILSON, Hon. Sec.

FOR FORT WRANGEL, NAAS & SKEENA RIVERS AND WAY PORTS.

THE STEAMER
GRAPPLER,
Having been thoroughly overhauled both in hull and machinery and put in first-class repair, will leave Welch, Rithet & Co.'s wharf for the above-named ports on TUESDAY, March 15th, at 6 a.m.
For Freight and Passage apply to H. SAUNDERS, Johnson street.
mh3

FOR WRANGEL AND WAY PORTS.

THE HUDSON BAY CO.'S STEAMER
OTTER,
Will leave for the above ports on
TUESDAY MORNING, 8TH INST., AT 6 O'CLK.
For Freight or Passage apply at the H. B. Co.'s Office. mh3

You Will Make Money by Changing Your Seed. Try It.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE CELEBRATED POTATOE
BEAUTY OF HEBRON
The Earliest and Best Cropping Potato known. In quantities to suit at the lowest possible Cash Price—5lbs. by mail post paid to any part of the Province for $1.

Also—BLISS' TRIUMPH, a new early Potato of great promise. Price by mail 50 cents per pound, or 3lbs. for $1.

Also—BURBANK SEEDLING, an early late Potato, a wonderful cropper of excellent quality, $6 per 100lbs., or 3lbs. by mail for 50 cents.

Also—TUGWELL'S ALPHA, a sport medium, round, skin white, quality unsurpassed, very productive. Try it. Price by mail 50 cents per pound, or 3 lbs. for $1.

Also—The Celebrated Pea AMERICAN WONDER, a dwarf wrinkled marrow, very early and exceedingly prolific. Price by mail 50 cents per pound, or 3 lbs. for $1.

Also—Fresh Carrot, Parsnip and Turnip Seeds Cheap.

☞ Remit by Postoffice Order or registered letter at my risk. Three-cent Stamps taken for small lots. Correspondents solicited.
THOS. TUGWELL,
mh3dw1m Lea View Farm, Sooke.

MORTGAGEE SALE

The undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
At his salesrooms, Yates street, on
Wednesday, 9th March, 1881
AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,
The following
REAL ESTATE
In Metchosin, viz:—Sections 77, 78, 83 and 90, containing 154 67-100 Acres.
TERMS AT SALE.
W. R. CLARKE,
mh3 Auctioneer.

PAY YOUR GAS BILL
AT THE OFFICE ON OR BEFORE THE 3RD OF THE MONTH, AND SAVE 20 PER CENT. ap2 122emly

MILK.
I BEG TO STATE THAT MY LEASE WITH MR. H. Smith having expired, and wishing to
REMAIN IN THE BUSINESS,
I hope the public will continue their patronage.
mh2 A. IRVINE.

NURSE.
MRS. MACDONALD OFFERS HER SERVICES as a LADY'S NURSE. Has had experience. Terms Reasonable. Apply at Cottage, Belcher street, between Vancouver and Cook streets. mh2*1m

BARQUE LIZZIE IREDALE, FROM LIVERPOOL.
NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR THE UNDERsigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.
R. C. JANION,
Per W. MONTEITH.
Victoria, March 1st, 1881. mh2

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND IMPORTERS, SHIPPING AND
INSURANCE AGENTS.
INDENTS Executed for English, Canadian, American and Chinese Merchandise. LIBERAL ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.

AGENTS
ROYAL FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.
ACCUMULATED FUNDS EXCEED $20,000,000
Fire Risks accepted at Current Rates of Premium, and Losses promptly adjusted. Life Assurances effected on Reasonable Terms.

LONDON AND LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE CO.
CAPITAL $9,337,500
Risks Accepted and Losses Adjusted by the undersigned Agents.

STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.
ASSETS EXCEED $27,000,000
Proposals Received and Policies Issued at this Agency. Tables of Rates for British Columbia can be obtained from the Agents.

UNION MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.
ASSETS EXCEED $10,000,000
Marine Risks on Hulls and Merchandise accepted by the Agents.

STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD, - - - WHARF STREET.
fe27 3m

SPRING APPROACHES!
—AND—
BURGESS, THE CARPENTER,
IS FULLY PREPARED TO
ERECT NEW BUILDINGS OR REPAIR OLD ONES.
All Orders promptly attended to.
J. P. BURGESS,
fe27 3m N. W. Cor. Fort and Broad Sts.

SMOKE GOLD FLAKE CUT PLUG

GOLD FLAKE
Cut Plug is the best pipe smoking tobacco ever introduced into Canada. It is made from the best selected fine old Bright Virginia Leaf. (*The raw leaf from which this tobacco is made costs more than any other tobacco manufactured in Canada after it is ready for the pipe.*)
It is made absolutely pure and neatly packed in handy tin-foil packages.
It is sold by all respectable dealers in all parts of the Dominion.
Manufactured by
THE GLOBE TOBACCO CO., WINDSOR, ONT.

WE HAVE PLEASURE IN AGAIN STATING that we are
SOLE AGENTS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA
—FOR THE—
GLOBE TOBACCO CO'S GOODS
—VIZ:—
GOLD FLAKE AND WINDSOR CUT PLUG SMOKING,
GLOBE AND VICTORIA FINE CUT CHEWING.
—AND—
GOLD FLAKE & AMBER TIPPED CIGARETTES.
Experience proves that we can guarantee the consumer perfect satisfaction.
For sale to the Trade only. Orders solicited.
J. H. TODD & SON.
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 26th, 1881. fe27

MILK! MILK!
THANKING MY CUSTOMERS FOR THEIR LIberal patronage for the last 18 years, I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. From this date Milk will be delivered every morning and evening by myself and son, as Mr. A. Irvine, has left me and has no further interest in my business.
H. SMITH,
mh1 1m Fairfield Farm Dairy.

WOOD FOR SALE CHEAP.
THE UNDERSIGNED IS PREPARED TO SUPply Cordwood at the following prices:—
QUARTERS $3 50
SINGLE CORDS 3 50
Orders may be left at Burt's, Government street, and at Wrigleworth's, Yates street.
fe17 H. BROWN, Prospect Lake.

NOTICE.
THE PARTNERSHIP HELETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned under the style of E. L. Derby & Co., has been dissolved this day by mutual consent. C. B. Sword is authorized to receive monies and give receipts for outstanding accounts, and will pay all liabilities due by the firm.
Victoria, 26th Feb., 1881. E. L. DERBY, C. B. SWORD.
Witness—W. POLLARD. fe26dw1m
[*N.W. Herald* copy.]

NOTICE.
HAVING ADMITTED MR. HIBBARD HUDSON as a partner, the business carried on by me at Quesnelle will be continued under the firm name of REID & HUDSON from date until further notice.
JAS. REID.
Quesnelle, 11th Feb., 1881.

PARTIES OWING BOOK ACCOUNTS ARE REquested to settle with Reid & Hudson, and liabilities will be paid by that firm.
fe24dw1m REID & HUDSON.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
WHOLE OF SEPARATE TENDERS FOR ALterations and additions to a residence at James Bay, will be received at my office, where plans and specifications may be seen until 12 m. on Saturday next, 5th March.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.
Kane street, 25th Feb., 1881. fe26

FOR THE ICASSIAR AND TAKOU MINES.
THE MAIL STEAMSHIP
CALIFORNIA,
JAMES CARROLL, Master.
Will leave Victoria for Wrangel and Sitka
ON OR ABOUT FRIDAY, MARCH 11TH, 1881.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. P. GOODHUE, Agent.
Office at P. McQuade & Sons, Wharf st. fe26

HIGHEST CASH PRICE
— PAID FOR —
FURS AND DEER SKINS.
REMOVAL—THE BUSINESS OF J. BOSCOWITZ has been removed to Rowland's two-story brick building on Johnson street, south side, between Wadington Alley and Wharf street.
u27 GEO. PAPPENBERGER Manager]

FRANCIS' STABLES,
TROUNCE ALLEY.
CARRIAGES, BUGGIES AND SADDLE Horses to be had at all hours at Reduced Rates.
Close Carriages for Dinner Parties or Balls, from $3 to $3; Carriages for Funerals, $2 50.
s3 2m GEORGE FRANCIS, Prop'r.

WANTED.

WANTED A SITUATION
BY A COMPETENT, EXPERIENCED, PRACTIcal Coal Miner of steady, sober habits, who can superintend, survey and plan successfully the working of a colliery. Address (——), office of this newspaper. fe8*

WANTED
AN ACCOMPLISHED FEMALE TEACHER FOR a Private School of seven children. A middle-aged female preferred. Apply to
WM. H. & T. E. LADNER,
Ja9 1m Ladner's Landing, B.C.

AMATEUR
VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT
— AT —
THEATRE ROYAL,
ON THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 10TH,
FOR THE BENEFIT OF
Mr. E. J. Durny
Who will be assisted by the
BEST AMATEUR TALENT IN THE CITY.
☞ Particulars in Programmes.

TICKETS—Dress Circle and Parquette, $1; Pit, 50 cents. To be obtained at the principal bookstores and at Redfern's Jewelry store, where seats may be secured. fe18

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.
IN PURSUANCE OF A RESOLUTION PASSED by the Municipal Council of Victoria, B. C., on the 16th February, 1881:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all persons having claims against the Corporation of the said City are required to present such claims at the City Clerk's Office at the end of each month, or said claims will not be paid
WILLIAM LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office,
February 18th, 1881. fe20

CARIBOO QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)
GENERAL MEETING.
A GENERAL MEETING OF THE CARIBOO Quartz Mining Company will be held at Mason & Daly's restaurant, Barkerville, on Thursday, April 7th, 1881, at 7:30 p. m.
By order,
CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
Barkerville, B.C., 5th Feb., 1881. fe17dw

E. M. JOHNSON,
NOTARY PUBLIC & CONVEYANCER
SECRETARY BRITISH COLUMBIA TRADES PROTECTION SOCIETY

COLLECTIONS OF RENT, INTEREST & GENeral Trade Accounts made throughout the Province. MONEY TO LEND. CHARGES MODERATE. OFFICE: Bastion street, next Bank B.C. no11

SUPREME COURT.
In the Goods of the late Rev. THOMAS DERRICK, deceased.
ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate, and all persons having claims against the estate are requested to send in their claims to the undersigned.
W. POLLARD,
Executor's Solicitor.
8th Feb., 1881. fe9

TENDERS.
TENDERS, ADDRESSED TO THE UNDERSIGNed, and endorsed "Tender for Fraser River Lighthouse," will be received at Ottawa, up to the 31st of March next, for the construction of a Lighthouse Tower, upon an iron pile foundation, on the South Sand Heads, mouth of the Fraser River, British Columbia. The ironwork of the foundation to be supplied to the Contractor.
Plans and Specifications can be seen, and Forms of Tender procured by intending contractors, at this Department, here, at the Agency of this Department, Victoria, B. C., and at the Office of W. Markland Molson, Esq., Portland, Oregon.
The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.
WM. SMITH,
Deputy Minister of Marine, &c.
Department of Marine, &c.,
Ottawa, Canada, 10th January, 1881. fe16

CITY OF VICTORIA WATER WORKS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN FOR THE INformation of the public that the following resolution was passed by the Mayor and Municipal Council of this city on the 2nd February instant, namely:—
"Resolved that the Water Works Engineer be, and he is hereby instructed to shut off the water from all dwellings and taps where water is allowed to run to waste (except during the time that it is freezing); and further before the water shall be again turned on the person or persons found guilty of wasting said water shall be subject to the payment of One Dollar for each and every time this regulation is violated." WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
Victoria, B.C., Feb. 17, 1881. fe17

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH,
Musical and Literary Entertainments
WILL COMMENCE ON
TUESDAY EVENING, 16TH INST., AT 8 O'CLOCK
ADMISSION 25 CENTS. Doors open at 7:30.
no7

PRIVATE LODGINGS.
RESPECTABLE SINGLE GENTLEMEN MAY obtain comfortably furnished rooms, by the month, without board, at the northwest corner of Pandora Avenue and Amelia street. de30

ON HING
DEALER IN
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS
BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS.
HAS REMOVED
TO JOHNSON STREET, ONE DOOR EAST OF EASTMAN'S BUTCHER SHOP.
Manufactures DRAWERS, UNDERSHIRTS, OVERALLS, Etc., which he offers for sale by wholesale and retail at low rates. fe11

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NEW SPRING GOODS
7 WEEKS FROM LONDON!
The first delivery of the large Shipments of Goods now "en route" for the
WHITE HOUSE
Were received ex last steamer and will be on view to-morrow Monday, 21st inst.

THE INSTALMENT COMPRISES:
CASHMERES,
BROCADES,
RIBBONS,
BROCADED HANDK'FS,
PLUSH TIES,
SILK SCARFS.

ALSO—A full line of Black Crapes & Mourning Dress Goods.

"A Dollar's Worth for a Dollar."

FOR GOOD VALUE
— GO TO THE —
WHITE HOUSE!
HAVING ADOPTED THE ABOVE motto at the outset, we attribute whatever success we have had to a faithful adherence to the principle.

THE WHITE HOUSE
Has always been careful when marking goods to put the price at such a low figure as to prevent successful competition. It is easy to make professions, but the public soon find out whether these professions are genuine.

THE WHITE HOUSE
Has only one price, and while confessing not to have found out the secret of selling goods at
LESS THAN COST,
And making money by the operation, yet being in businsss and expecting to continue in it, intend to prove to the satisfaction of the public that our prices are the lowest when
STYLE, QUALITY & FINISH
Are considered. It is well known that our goods are bought at Wholesale Rates from the manufacturers, whereby the profits required by MIDDLEMEN are avoided, therefore we are in a position to undersell others and yet do well for owners, while protecting purchasers.

THE WHITE HOUSE
Has on hand severol broken lots of Winter Goods that will be sold at astonishingly LOW PRICES, for instance: Russel Cords have been reduced frem 20c. to 12½. Winceys from 20c. per yard to 6 yds. for $1, and so on.

IN REGULAR GOODS
WE HAVE
FURS, BLANKETS,
CORSETS, FL NNELS,
TOWELS, QUILTS,
NAPKINS, COMFORTERS,
TABLE LINEN, WATERPROOF
SHEETINGS, CLOAKINGS,
LADIES' TWEEDS,
UNDERWEAR, CASSIMERE,

White and Grey Cottons, Lace Curtains, Tablecovers, Blk. Crape and Mourning Dress Materials, Velveteens and Silk Velvets, Trimming Silks and Satins, Black Dress Silks, Plain and Fancy Ribbons, Kid Gloves in 2, 4 and 6 button. Gents' Driving Gloves, Gents' Memel Calf 1st Choice Gloves. We keep in stock and sell the
BEST GOODS AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE.
We shall not mispresent goods and are always willing to exchange or take back articles that are not as described at the time of sale. Our friends will please note that
THE WHITE HOUSE
Is Painted White, not white with
DELUSORY PLACARDS
The "Ladies' Journal" No. 2 is now ready for circulation. Parties who have not received it by post will please call at Store and be supplied.
ORDERS from the Country will receive our usual careful attention and should be addressed
THE WHITE HOUSE.
J. HUTCHESON, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

WALTHAM WATCHES,
— AT —
C. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT STREET,
WHO HAS BEEN APPOINTED BY THE COMPANY
SOLE AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
KEY WINDERS —IN— SOLID STERLING SILVER **CASES, $15** AND UPWARDS.

STEM WINDERS AND SETTERS —IN— SOLID STERLING **SILVER CASES $22 50** AND UPWARDS.

These Watches are all GUARANTEED GENUINE WALTHAM MANUFACTURE and the Cases Solid Sterling Silver 925-1000ths fine.
THE SAME MOVEMENTS IN GOLD CASES AT VERY LOW PRICES.
Ja15 **A LIBERAL DISCOUNT TO THE TRADE.**

THE BRITISH COLUMBIA
SOAPWORKS
HUMBOLDT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.,
FROM OFFICIAL RETURNS ARE NOW
Manufacturing Seven-Eights of all the Soaps Used in the Province.

During the year 1875 and previous years there was imported yearly over Twenty one Thousand Dollars' worth of Laundry Soaps. In 1876 the factory was established and the result has been:

IMPORTS OF SOAP,	1875	.....	$21,000
do	do 1876	.....	18,000
do	do 1877	.....	13,500
do	do 1878	.....	9,500
do	do 1879	.....	7,500
do	do 1880	.....	3,200

Showing plainly that these goods are giving entire satisfaction.
ALL KINDS OF MOTTLED, YELLOW, WHITE & FANCY SOAPS MADE.
☞ ORDERS can be left at the Works, or if left at the Store of W. J. JEFFREE they will be immediately sent by Telephone.
fe20 3m **PENDRAY & CO.**

VICTORIA — ROCK BAY
BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY, — **TANNERY,**
GOVERNMENT ST., NEXT POSTOFFICE. — ROCK BAY, VICTORIA.
W. HEATHORN, PROPRIETOR.
Manufacturer of Mens' Women's and Children's
BOOTS & SHOES,
OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS, SUITABLE FOR THE GENERAL WANTS OF THE PROVINCE.
The especial attention of Dealers is solicited to the large and carefully made assortment of Boots and Shoes now prepared for the Spring Trade.
☞ PRICE LISTS ON APPLICATION. ☜
All Orders executed with care and dispatch.
Highest Market Price Paid for Hides & Calfskins.
fe22dw2m

BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKET,
VAN VOLKENBURGH & CO.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
BUTCHERS,
ALHAMBRA BUILDING, CORNER GOVERNMENT AND YATES STREETS,
VICTORIA, B. C.
Ships, Hotels and Families Supplied with Meats at the LOWEST RATES.
ORDERS filled and delivered to any part of the City free of charge. fe26

1881. 1881.
LONDON HOUSE.
SHEARS & PARTRIDGE
BEG TO ANNOUNCE THEIR
ANNUAL
CLEARANCE SALE!
Will commence on Thursday, Feb. 3rd, 1881, and continue during the month
Goods in Every Department
MARKED DOWN
BELOW COST.
fe2

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO WEDneseday the 2nd day of March proximo, at 4 o'clock p.m., at the City Council Chambers, for certain works in connection with the City Hall.
The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. Tenders to be sealed and endorsed "Tenders for Works on City Hall, &c."
By order, JNO. TEAGUE,
fe22 Architect.

LOST.
BETWEEN THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH and Quadra street, a GOLD LOCKET and CHAIN. The Locket contains a family photograph of the owner. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at *The Colonist* office. fe20

HAIR COMBINGS
ARRANGED BY
MISS DRYSDALE,
Corner Douglas and View streets. fe15

C. A. SARGISON, ACCOUNTANT, ETC.
THE CONNECTION OF THE UNDERSIGNED with the B. C. Express Company having this day been severed, he begs to intimate to his friends and the public generally that he has begun business as an
ACCOUNTANT AND GENERAL AGENT.
Accounts audited, estates wound up, collections made, commissions executed, Customhouse Brokerage attended to, etc., etc.
OFFICE, Government street, next to Mr. Lowenberg's.
3rd February, 1881. GEO. A. SARGISON. fe20dw

NOTICE.
I BEG TO GIVE NOTICE THAT I HAVE THIS day admitted my son, CHARLES FOX TODD, a partner in my business, and that our firm name will be J. H. TODD & SON.
Victoria, B.C., Jan. 1st, 1881. J. H. TODD.
Ja20dw

Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH. 3RD, 1881.

TELEPHONIC.

THE COLONIST editorial rooms are in telephonic communication with the central office, with Esquimalt and with the residence of the proprietor. Parties having news or other information to communicate will confer a favor by transmitting it to this office through the instrument of the nearest subscriber.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Mar. 2—Str Pilot, Nanaimo
Slp Kate, Oreas Island
Slp Emma, San Juan
Slp Mary Jane, San Juan.

CLEARED.

Mar. 2—Str Pilot, Nanaimo
Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Sch Black Diamond, West Coast
Slp Kate, Oreas Island

PASSENGERS.

Per str ENTERPRISE, fm New Westminster—Mr and Mrs Tod, A Rone, Q S Walker, M McClure, J E Wright, G Babbidge, Young, Manlon, J D Campbell, Manson, Puity, Van Volkenburgh, J H Bugbee, B F Cummings.

MARRIED.

At the Boarding School, Cache Creek, on the 15th ult., by the Rev. James Turner, Charles Elvie Warren to Martha, second daughter of James Orr, of Cache Creek. [California papers please copy.]

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 2nd inst., Annett, beloved wife of George Mansell, aged 41 years, a native of Port Gibson, Mississippi.

Due notice will be given of time of funeral.

At Williams Lake, British Columbia, on the 19th ult., William Amey. Has friends near Kingston, Canada.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P DAVIES & CO. will sell at 11 o'clock, at salesrooms, an invoice of new Salmon Nets, etc.

TO BUSINESS MEN!

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THIRD PROVINCIAL LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

FOURTH SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, March 2.

WOOLEN MILL BONUS.

House went into committee on the message of the Lieut.-Governor as to granting a bonus to a woolen mill, Mr. Harris in the chair.

Hon. Mr. Walkem moved that a bonus not exceeding $5000 be offered to any person who will erect a woolen mill in the Province costing not less than $20,000 and containing the necessary machinery for a "two set" mill with 10 looms running at least 100 spindles and capable of annually manufacturing without employing Chinese labor not less than 75,000 lbs. of pulled wool into yarn, blankets, flannels, tweeds, &c. The mill to be subject to the approval of the Lieut.-Governor in council.

The hon. member said that in paying over the subsidy it would be necessary to call in the assistance of an expert to say whether the mill was such as to entitle it to the subsidy. The government had had considerable difficulty in obtaining information from manufacturers, but after much deliberation a scheme was arranged for the consideration of the House. About 128,000 pounds of wool were produced in the province last year. He thought a $5000 grant would suit the country better than $10,000, as a small mill would meet the requirements of the country better than a large one. He believed that 75,000 pounds was a liberal estimate of the amount of wool product that would be manufactured in this province for the first year or two after construction, the balance being exported. No man would erect a mill costing more than $20,000 until he had felt his way and ascertained what the country would bear.

Mr. Wilson.—Is the $20,000 to cover the cost of the building, lot and machinery? The lot might cost $10,000.

Hon. Mr. Walkem said it covered the entire cost of the establishment.

Mr. Wilson.—It ought to apply to the machinery and buildings only.

Mr. Williams thought $5000 meant no mill. The government should have offered $10,000, as woolen mills would be very expensive and required in addition to the cost of erection $25,000 or $30,000 capital to start it. He had hoped the amount would be $10,000 and he would not allow the Governor in council to pass upon the mill or say whether the grant had been fairly earned.

Mr. Smithe said the clause respecting Chinese labor meant nothing because it did not actually prohibit the employment of Chinese labor. Every employé might be a Chinaman; and still the owners be in a position to claim the bonus. He agreed in a great measure with the Attorney General. An extensive mill at the present was not necessary. It would be better for the woolen interest if the mill was established on a small scale than on a large one. The manufacturers would be only able to command a certain amount of the wool for some time; but he thought the bonus should have been $7500; but as it was not competent for a private member to increase the vote and he would therefore support the resolution.

Mr. Wilson had talked to-day with two parties who stated that unless the amount was supplemented by municipal grant the government bonus would be neither here nor there. In Canada, he was told, that at Sherbrooke, $20,000 bonus, exemption from taxation for a term of years and 2½ acres of land to a mill recently erected there. He was further told that the grant would amount to nothing towards getting a first class factory with modern machinery. Ten thousand dollars would have been more effective than $5000. Traders would go where they could buy the best, and if a good mill were started it would absorb the entire wool trade. Skilled hands were necessary, and their wages were generally exceptionally high. If a man came here with old machinery he might get the bonus and his establishment fail because he could not make good goods. However, as a recognition of the industry by the government, the grant was worth something, but he hoped the municipalities would be more generous than the government, (hear).

Mr. E. Brown thought the grant ample; all the arguments he had heard went to favor the course of the government; but he thought no restrictions as to the class of labor to be employed should be made.

Dr. Ash believed that $5000 would be no inducement for the construction of a woolen mill because of the proviso that Chinese labor should not be employed. The mill would be precluded from using Chinese labor for $400 a year, which was the rate at which $5000 could be borrowed. The resolution should be more definite. There ought to be a time fixed for paying the money, which should be when the buildings and machinery had been erected and the mill placed in running order. There ought to be a condition that the manufacturer should give bonds not to employ Chinese labor.

Mr. E. Brown moved that the stipulation respecting Chinese labor be stricken out.

Hon. Mr. Beaven said he had opposed a bonus two years ago for the reason that the wool then grown was not of a proper quality. Since then the quality of wool had been improved, and he was now in favor of this grant. He could not see that the existence of the mill lately established at Sherbrooke fitted into this argument at all. A mill of this class would use up all the wool grown in this country in 30 days. The government had taken the opinion of experienced men and had arrived at the conclusion that their offer was suited to the requirements of the country. About $22,000 worth of blankets were imported here last year, costing about $2.80 per blanket. 128,000 pounds of wool was exported last year, having been sold at 14 or 15 cents per pound. He believed a woolen mill would pay under these circumstances, that the condition as to Chinese labor would not make the slightest difference to the manufacturer and that the offer of the government would be crowned with success.

Mr. Mara said he had listened with surprise and pleasure to the remarks of the finance minister on this subject. On a previous occasion he had bitterly opposed even a small grant of $2000 for the purpose and derided the quantity and quality of the wool grown here. His position had caused several parties who projected a woolen mill in the province at that time to withdraw. He congratulated him upon his conversion. He (Mr. Mara) contended that a woolen mill would pay and that it would have paid years ago. [Hear.] The small sum of $5000 would cause the matter to be thoroughly ventilated, would attract attention to the matter and would result in the building of a mill. He thought the $5000 grant enough; but he did not believe in the labor restriction. Manufacturers should be allowed to choose their own labor; but still it amounted to nothing, because after the manufacturer had got his money he could employ such labor as he chose.

Hon. Mr. Beaven tried to explain that he had opposed a bonus for the woolen mill several years ago because the wool then raised was of a different character to that raised now.

Mr. Mara said the hon. gentleman had changed his opinion and had changed it for the better [laughter].

Mr. Galbraith supported the Government scheme heartily, with the exception of the Chinese restriction clause. The manufacturer should have free trade in the labor market, as he would have to compete with the cheap labor of Ontario. He believed the municipalities would supplement this grant largely, as they do in Canada.

Mr. Smithe said that in consequence of the strong stand taken by the present minister of finance against the granting of a bonus in 1877, came the failure of a scheme at that time, which was all but an accomplished fact. When the finance minister declared on the floor of the House that any man who would put his money into such an enterprise might as well throw it into James Bay confidence was shaken and the scheme fell through. The resolution prescribing the kind of labor meant nothing. Any firm might employ whom they liked and still get the money; it meant nothing. The clause should be struck out.

Mr. Helgesen was surprised at hon. gentlemen advocating the employment of Chinese. It was time that we did something for our own people. He believed a woolen mill would pay. There was no other place in Canada where it would pay so well. Indians should be given a fair show to work in a woolen mill: but Chinese should not be encouraged.

Mr. Galbraith repudiated the charge of having advocated Chinese labor. No hon. gentleman had done so. (Hear.)

Mr. Bennett hoped the objectionable clause would be stricken out. He was not fond of Chinese labor, but he was told there were manufacturing interests in Victoria that could not be carried on without Chinese labor. He hoped the mill would be run without it; but he did not want to see a clause retained in the scheme that might defeat it. It was better to say nothing at all about the matter—to refrain as much as possible from hampering this industry and not prejudice it in any way.

Hon. Mr. Walkem, after an explanation, said he accepted the amendment respecting the labor question, fearing to imperil the scheme if it were left in.

Mr. Williams had hoped to see the sum $10,000 and Chinese labor prohibited so as to afford white boys and girls a chance to work in the mill. He had seen in Lowell, Massachusetts, 1,500 girls at work in a woolen mill. What were we to do with our young people if Chinese labor was encouraged by the House?

The resolution was then passed and reported.

MUNICIPAL CONSOLIDATION.

The House went into committee on this Bill.

Clause 8 was re-committed for the purpose of changing the word "seven" to "four," with reference to the minimum number of councillors in each rural municipality.

Mr. Smithe was willing that the clause should be recommitted, but he would oppose the change. It would not be at all applicable to the municipalities in the Cowichan district. The number of councillors in that districts ought not to be less than seven. Municipalities on the Island are very different to those on the mainland, and the only rural ones on the Island were in his district.

Mr. McGillivray would also oppose the proposed change.

Mr. Wilson remarked that the principle had been recognized in the House that the circumstances of municipalities differed in different parts of the province. He would support the motion for "four" as the reeve should have something to say in council matters. It would be better if the members were even in the cities. He could see no objection to Cowichan retaining seven councillors if considered necessary.

Mr. Galbraith suggested that the clause should be laid over for a day in order that the question might be arranged by the members from municipal districts.

Hon. Mr. Walkem was in favor of seven councillors for the Cowichan municipalities.

The clause was laid over for a day.

Section 40 was amended by striking out the words "one third of one per cent." and passed.

SECOND READING.

Mr. Vernon moved the second reading of "An Act respecting Dogs." The hon. gentleman briefly explained the object of the bill.

Mr. Beaven thought that the mover should have explained the bill more fully; and have stated the need of it. He thought it would only be an incumbrance in the statute-book.

Mr. McImoyl would support the bill although it needed some amendment. If the hon. the minister of finance had over lived in a rural district he would have seen the necessity of such a measure. He spoke of the annoyance of dogs about Indian rancherias and the difficulty of abating the nuisance.

Hon. Mr. Walkem would favor the second reading. The bill was necessary and the Humane Society would approve of it. He would have gone further if he had held anything to do with it.

Mr. Saul thought some of the sections were contradictory. Valuable dogs might be destroyed under some of the clauses and no remedy could be obtained. He could not support the bill because he did not think it could be made a good one.

Mr. Smithe considered the bill a particularly good one. It would deal with the great nuisance of Indian dogs. Any one with experience in these matters would support the bill. The hon. gentleman described the trouble and annoyance that settlers in his district were continually subjected to in this particular. He would certainly support the second reading.

Mr. Bennett was in favor of the bill, although he thought it ought to be amended in some respects.

Mr. Wilson thought sheep ought to be protected, especially as a bonus had been passed for a woolen mill, but it was a little rough on dogs that had only transgressed once. He would suggest to the finance minister the advisability of putting on a dog tax of say $5 per annum. This would assist in fixing the ownership of some that might be destroyed.

Second reading passed. To be committed on Thursday.

Mr. Beaven opposed the second reading and the committment.

Hon. Mr. Walkem thought the finance minister too *dog*matic.

THIRD READING.

Cattle Ordinance Bill read a third time and passed.

Swine Bill also passed third reading.

House adjourned till 2 p. m. Thursday.

Consumers Protection Society.

It is rumored that a society will shortly be organized under the above title. The object of the society will be to protect the consumer from unprincipled tradesmen and others, and to bring within reasonable bounds the exorbitant profits now realized by retail traders. It is asserted that many articles of consumption are largely adulterated and palmed off on the public as genuine. One object of the society will be (under authority) to analyze suspected goods, and if found impure to expose the vendor. They will promote and encourage co-operative stores where only genuine articles of first rate quality are kept and full weight guaranteed, which, will effect a saving to the consumer of from 20 to 30 per cent. They propose to publish periodically in the local newspapers a statement of the wholesale prices of provisions, clothing, etc., to which will be added cost of freight, duties, incidental expenses, etc., and will furnish other useful and important information concerning matters of trade, so that the consumer may ascertain at a glance the actual cost of goods laid down in Victoria. They will also publish a list of strangers who visit, and state the reasons why they came and why they left it. Farmers are to receive protection from the society, and every legitimate means will be used to extricate them from the present cruel, oppressive and pernicious system persued by certain storekeepers, under the name of "*trade*." They also propose to take into consideration the expediency of petitioning the Dominion Government to enforce the circulation of copper currency in this province. They believe that a well organized society for the above purposes will be the means of placing both dealers and consumers on a more honorable and satisfactory footing than at present exists.—*advt.*

The Victoria's Passengers.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.

Steamship Victoria sailed to-day at 4:10 for Victoria with the following passengers: Wm. Bell, Capt. Urquhart, Wm. Sutherland, S. D. Mills, J. S. Childs, L. P. Oakes, N. White, S. Kay, W. Blake, W. H. Scott, J. Callahan, A. W. Hartt, A. May, Frank Newton, Victor Ponsley, Lena Rivers, Manda Rivers, Wm. Fisher.

IMPROVEMENTS COMMENCING. — The spring weather of this week is starting city improvements as well as vegetation. Haynes & Lovell's flour mill is up to the first story. Mr. R. Finlayson is removing old places on Cormorant street below Government preparatory to commencing a brick building. The addition to the Presbyterian church on Pandora street is being roofed in. Workmen are again engaged on the postoffice front and several are busy inside. There are same other improvements going on and in contemplation in different parts of the city. Flower gardens are ablaze with crocuses and white with snow drops. Polyanthuses and wall flowers are getting into bloom and anemones will soon be out. The sunshiny days are fast drying up the streets and reads and travelling will soon be a comfort instead of the nuisance it has been for many weeks past.

DRAWBACK ALLOWED.—Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. of the Wellington colliery have at last been allowed a drawback on the powder consumed by their mines.

ASH WEDNESDAY.—Divine service was held in the Episcopal and Catholic churches yesterday.

SNOW.—All the snow has disappeared from Saanich.

Supreme Court.

[Before His Lordship Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J. and Crease and McCreight, J. J.]

MARCH 2d.

Re an arbitration between Adams and Milne.

It appeared the parties had been partners in a milling business at Craigflower. That disputes between them were referred to arbitration. That the umpire awarded a dissolution and the plant and materials of the partnership to Adams and directed him to pay therefor to Milne the sum of $1780. The award was silent as to the leasehold interests of lands on which the partnership machinery was situate.

This was a rehearing with additional evidence of an application on the part of Adams before the Chief Justice on the 3d Feb. last to set aside the award on the ground that it did not give to Adams the leasehold interest originally the property of Milne, but which by the partnership agreement became partnership property. It was also urged for Adams that it would be inequitable now for the court to refer back the award to the umpire for correction because Adams had lost the opportunity of making advantageous purchases for the business and which were open to him after the making of the award. Furthermore, that he had engaged a miller and was responsible in respect of the engagement. That Milne had refused to give possession of the leasehold premises, notwithstanding that Adams had deposited with Milne's arbitrator the sum awarded to be paid to Milne upon the terms of his declaring the mill in good working order and assigning the lease.

For Milne it was contended that the award was good on its face. That the umpire not having mentioned the lease must be taken to have awarded in respect of all matters in difference including the lease or that it was not brought before him specially, and from either view the award was good. Also, that Adams had paid the sum of $1780 pursuant to the award on the 22nd of November, that Milne was always ready to assign the lease upon payment of that sum. That Adams had not deposited the whole of that sum until the 10th January and then only upon conditions he was not entitled to exact. That Milne had been damaged by the non-payment of the money on 22nd November and in any event the leave was valueless.

In reply it was contended Adams could be in no default in respect of a bad award. That the lease had been specially mentioned in the arbitration and had not been dealt with by the umpire, although of considerable value to the continuing partner. That Adams had deposited the required amount on fair conditions and in hope of a peaceful settlement, but possession had been repeatedly refused. That inasmuch as Adams could not be restored to the position he would have been in had the award been perfect the court would not refer it back for ratification.

Judgment reserved. Mr. Alex. E. B. Davie, instructed by Mr. Eberts, for Mr. Adams and Mr. M. W. T. Drake for Mr. Milne.

County Court.

WEDNESDAY, March 2nd.

Kirkland vs. Baker & Son—Action for $184.99 balance due for hay delivered to defendants pursuant to a contract of sale.

Defendants paid into Court $88.84 and pleaded a set off for $96.15 consisting of items not credited by plaintiffs and for damages for not delivering balance of hay under the contract. Plaintiff's counsel having objected to any evidence in support of set off on the ground that it had not been filed in time. Defendants' counsel said a cross action for the set off would have to be brought. Strictly speaking the set off had not been filed in time and the counter claim for damages was in the County Court not the subject of set off. He had, however, adopted this course to challenge the plaintiff on the whole merits in one action rather than go to the expense of two and for that matter there had not been time to bring a cross action. The defendants alleged the contract was for 40 tons and not for 30 only as claimed by the plaintiff and if defendants were correct, the plaintiff was liable to pay the defendant the difference between the contract price for ten tons and the enhanced market price. He would therefor apply that the costs of their action be reserved and execution stayed until the next Court as defendants had offered to pay all that was due on delivery of the 40 tons.

Judgment was rendered for plaintiff for $96.15, the costs to be reserved and execution stayed until the next Court and until further order.

Mr. Pollard for plaintiff and Mr. Davie (Davie & Pooley) for defendants.

Rearrest of "Scotty."

On the complaint of Jerry Woods, Halliday *alias* Scotty, was again arrested on a charge of murdering Mary Pool, on the 16th ult. He was taken before Justice Martley and committed for trial in $2000 bonds, which were shortly forthcoming. The government will undoubtedly decline to persecute—we mean, prosecute—in this fresh case unless some new evidence has been brought to light since the trial at New Westminster.

State of the River.

The ice has left the river at Popcum and at Farr's. At every point below Hope navigation is open. Above Hope there are two or three jams, but the ice is rotten and thin. Steamer Reliance started yesterday for Yale from New Westminster.

DEATH.—The many friends and acquaintances of Councillor Mansell will be sorry to hear of the irreparable loss he has sustained in the death of Mrs. Mansell. This melancholy event occurred last evening at his residence near Moss street. The deceased lady was a native of Mississippi, but removed to Oregon with her parents while but a child, and was there married. Mrs. Mansell has been a resident of this city for more than 17 years. Her death was not unexpected as she had been ailing for some time. A family of ten children, the youngest only about two years of age, are left to mourn the loss of a most excellent and devoted mother.

THE SIGNET.—This vessel was hove down yesterday and one side of her hull examined; but without discovering any special leak. She will be hauled down on the other side to-day and if no leak can be found she will be stripped of copper and newly caulked, as it will then be ascertained that her seams are defective.

TELEGRAPH.—In about two weeks from date the new telegraph system will be completed and communication permanently and efficiently restored.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise arrived down yesterday at her usual time.

New Westminster.

[Herald.]

In another column will be found a card from the members of the Hospital board Of course, the chief grounds of action are the most unjustifiable aspersions cast upon the management by Mr. McGillivray and Mr. Harris, and apparently acquiesced in by Mr, Brown, but there is also in it a pronounced verdict against the change contemplated by the resolution of the House. Taking everything into consideration, there was really no other course open to gentlemen possessed of proper spirit and self respect. We learn that the four "people's members" have sent in their resignation, at the same time demanding a thorough investigation, with a view to refuting the slanders, and we also understand that the two government members are sending their resignation in to the government.

Mr. Harris, M. P. P., who joined with Mr. McGillivray in making such a furious attack upon the Royal Columbian Hospital, was a member of the grand jury, in Oct. last, who inspected that institution and were loud in its praise. It will be in order for Mr. Harris to "rise and explain."

We observe that Mr. Drake has resigned his position on the board of the Royal Hospital, Victoria, on account of the action of the Legislature. It is to be hoped the government will promptly arrest the false and most ill-advised move contemplated by the Drummond resolution.

Eliza Wallace, a native of Cornwall, England, and during the past seven years an inmate of the British Columbia Insane Asylum, died on Saturday morning, aged 71 years.

[Guardian.]

Mr. McGillivray's speech on the mode of conducting the above institution in this city has created quite a sensation here, particularly amongst the members of the Hospital Board. We publish a card today, and our readers will see by the notice published in another column that the Board meet the public to-morrow night, when they will tender their resignation.

Messrs. Haigh & Son are extending their cannery considerably, and preparing all the appliances for the great run of salmon expected this year.

Municipal Council.

WEDNESDAY, March 2nd.

Council met at 7:30 p.m. Present—His Worship the Mayor in the chair and Councillors McLean, Kinsman, Wrigleswortb, Vigelius and Shakespeare.

Coun. McLean moved that the Council adjourn to next Wednesday out of respect to Councillor Mansell in his sad bereavement.

Coun. Kinsman seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

His Worship suggested that resolutions of condolence be drawn up and forwarded to Councillor Mansell.

Coun. McLean coincided with the Mayor and thought the matter should be left with His Worship and the Clerk.

Council then adjourned till Wednesday evening next.

Yale.

[From the Inland Sentinel.]

The past five days has been rain almost day and night, and the snow is fast disappearing from mountains, hills, and road ways; bare ground is visible in every direction.

While at Emory we noticed that the Mill Company have on hand a large quantity of superior saw logs.

Last week we heard of a "blow up" at the Big Tunnel. It appears that there were two cases, 50lbs. each, in the powder house when the explosion took place. The man had been recently at the place; he left, as he supposed, everything safe, and was startled when the explosion occurred. Fortunately no person was hurt, and only a little property destroyed. An investigation has taken place without ascertaining any cause for the explosion.

Lillooet.

Jas. Halliday *alias* Scotty was re-arrested on the 16th ult. on account of the Pool murder.

The winter appears to be breaking up after the longest and coldest season for years. Our streets are solid ice, although I have not heard of an ox or horse dying. They live on the atmosphere.

What did Rev. Russ mean by his lecture at Guelph? He had better come up the country. It is not at all like Victoria. If you or he should come here a month's tour would open your eyes wonderfully.

Anderson Lake diggings are likely to turn out rich this year and there is some excellent quartz. There will be considerable prosperity this season.

Marine.

The steam tug Pilot brought down the barque Cassandra Adams yesterday morning and returned to Nanaimo with the Belvidere.

H. M. S. Fantome arrived at Honolulu before the departure of the Lizzie Iredale 17 days ago.

Steamship Victoria sailed from San Francisco for Victoria at 4:10 o'clock on Monday and will be due here to-morrow morning.

Steamship Hylton Castle, from San Francisco for Departure Bay, passed up yesterday afternoon.

Ship Bulwark, laden at Hastings mills with lumber for Melbourne will sail today.

SEIZURE.—A schooner from San Juan Island was seized yesterday by the Customs authorities in this city, the owner having, as is alleged, smuggled several head of sheep ashore at Cadboro Bay before coming into this port. A few sheep were duly entered and duties paid on them; but the main portion of the cargo is believed to have been landed surruptitiously.

THE H. B. CO.'s steamer Otter will not sail for the north until Tuesday the 8th inst. instead of Saturday next as was announced.

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England and America.

Mr. Green in his admirable history of the English people has the following in regard to the relations of England and the United States:

From the hour of American Independence the life of the English people has flowed not in one current but in two; and while the older has shown signs of lessening the younger has fast risen to a greatness which has changed the face of the world. In 1783 America was a nation of 3,000,000 of inhabitants, scattered thinly along the Atlantic ocean. It is now a nation of 50,000,000 stretching over the whole continent from the Atlantic to the Pacific. In wealth and material energy, as in numbers, it far surpasses the mother country from which it sprang. It is already the main branch of the English people; and in the days that are at hand the main current of the people's history must run along the channel, not of the Thames or the Mersey, but of the Hudson and the Mississippi. But distinct as those currents are every year proves more clearly that in spirit the English people are one. The distance that parted England from America lessens every day. The ties that unite them grow every day. The social and political differences that threatened a hundred years ago to form an impassable barrier between them grow every day less. Against this silent and inevitable drift of things the spirit of narrow isolation on either side of the Atlantic struggles in vain. It is possible the two branches of the English people will remain forever separate political existences. It is likely enough that the older of them may again break in twain, and that the English people on the Pacific may assert as distinct a national life as the two English peoples on either side the Atlantic. But the spirit, the influence of all these branches will remain one. And in thus remaining one, before half a century is over it will change the face of the world. As 200,000,000 of Englishmen fill the valley of the Mississippi, as 50,000,000 of Englishmen assert their lordship over Australasia, this vast power will tell through Britain on the old world of Europe, whose nations will have shrunk into insignificance before it. What the issues of such a world-wide change may be, not even the wildest dreamer would dare to dream. But one issue is inevitable. In the centuries that lie before us the primacy of the world will lie with the English people. English institutions, English speech, English thought, will become the main feature of the political, the social and the intellectual life of mankind.

Expensive Osculation.

[Boston Special to the Chicago Times.]

In the district court at Malden recently, the Everett kissing case was heard. Some weeks since, it is alleged, one George W. Plaisted, a store clerk, called at the residence of H. L. Batchelder, in Everett, and after delivering his goods to Mrs. Batchelder, who is a very pretty young woman, exclaimed: "You look good enough to kiss," and kissed her. When Mr. Batchelder got home his wife told him what had occurred, and he, in company with H. C. Bacon, went to the store where Plaisted is employed and caned the presumptuous youth. Plaisted got out warrants for assault, and the case was heard to-day. The assault was clearly proven—in fact the caning was not denied—and the two defendants were bound over in $300 each to appear before the grand jury. The case has created a good deal of interest.

A BANKRUPT EARL.—The Earl of Hardwicke, formerly Master of the Royal Buckhounds, has presented his petition in liquidation. His liabilities are stated at £240,000. The Earl of Hardwicke is the head of the House of Yorke. One of his brothers is on the staff of the Duke of Cambridge, and married a daughter of Sir Anthony de Rothschild. Another, who was recently in America, is equerry to Prince Leopold. His eldest sister is a member of the Queen's household, his youngest sister is a lady of the bedchamber to the Princess Helena. The Prince of Wales is the godfather of his eldest son. Few English families have stood nearer to the throne than the Yorkes. The first peer was Lord Chancellor in 1736, and his son sat on the woolsack in 1770. The present earl was comptroller of the Royal Household. He married a daughter of Lord Cowley and is a Conservative in politics.

A COW WITH A WOODEN LEG.—A valuable heifer belonging to a farmer near Northallerton, England, recently broke its leg, and it had to be amputated. The animal has since been fitted with a wooden leg, on which it moves about with the utmost ease, which proves the absurdity of hastily ordering the destruction of animals that meet with such accidents.

Handy Hints.

Cotton wool wet with sweet oil and laudanum relieves the ear-ache very soon.

To obtain a glossy skin. Pour upon a pint of bran sufficient boiling water to cover it. Let it stand until cold and then bathe the face with it, only patting the skin with a soft towel to dry it.

You can get a bottle or barrel of oil off of any carpet or woolen stuff by applying dry buckwheat plentifully and faithfully. Never put water or liquid of any kind to such a grease-spot.

To take iron stains out of marble. An equal quantity of fresh spirit of vitriol and lemon juice being mixed in a bottle, shake well, wet the spots and in a few minutes rub with soft linen till they disappear.

If your tongue is coated and you are suffering from biliousness, liver troubles, or any difficulty of the kidneys, bladder, or uninary organs, take Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure without delay. All troubles of the kidneys or liver, however slight are dangerous, but this remedy is a certain protection against them all. 13

WHEN EXAMINED AFTER DEATH, the lungs of those who have died of tubercular consumption are found to be honeycombed with little cells full of purulent matter. To this terrible condition the lungs of any one may be brought who neglects a cough or cold. Unfortunately many so-called cough remedies are inefective as well as impure, containing ingredients absolutely prejudical to the physical well-being of those who use them. There is, however, a source of renewed health and strength upon which persons harrassed and weakened by lung and bronchial affections can depend with certainty. We refer to Northrop and Lyman's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil and the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda, which is justly esteemed throughout the Dominion for its effectiveness and purity. The medical faculty have long recognized the value of purified oil, obtained from the cod's liver, in throat and lung affections, and the hypophosphites are universally prescribed in cases of pulmonary decline and general debility. In this preparation the phosphorus which it contains (phosphorus being an important natural constituent of the physical organism) serves to supply stamina and vitality, by enriching the blood, while the lime and soda are of incalculable service in solidifying and strengthening the bones. This medicine not only counteracts pulmonary inflammation and arrests physical decline, but is a valuable remedy in scrofulous cases. As a means of checking and compensating for the tremendous waste of bodily tissue caused by lung and chest diseases—of healing and soothing the irritated membrane of the breathing organs, and of promoting the development of pure, rich blood, this preparation has no equal. All druggists sell it.

THOS. SHOTBOLT, Chemist, etc., Johnson street, Victoria, Agent for the Province of British Columbia. *

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AUCTION SALES.

THIS DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

Thursday, March 3rd, 1881.

We have received instructions to sell

For Account of whom it may Concern,

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

AN INVOICE OF

NEW SALMON NETS,

(ALL BARBOUR'S THREAD.)

1	SALMON	NET,	215	Fathoms,	60 lbs.
1	do	do	209	do	60 lbs.
1	do	do	213	do	60 lbs.
1	do	do	217	do	60 lbs.
1	do	do	220	do	60 lbs.
1	do	do	108	do	32 lbs.
1	do	do	47	do	12 lbs.
1	do	do	217	do	60 lbs.

SUNDRIES.

Tinware, Crockery, Books, Papers, Wall Paper, Door Mats, Kitchenware, Large Drill, Cabinetmaker's Bench, Shells, Indian Curios, Watch Glasses, Flags, China Lanterns, nine Jars, Toilet Sets, Large Baskets, Dumb Bells, Lamps, Flowerpots, Bowsaws, Marble-top Table, large Cook Stove and Fixtures, Dentist's Tools, Door Keys, Blacksmith Tools, Rare Tools, Sewing Machine, Furniture, Large Sleigh, Cabbage Cutter, Plated Spoons and Forks (fine ware), Hardware, Drawing and Tracing Paper, Pictures, and a general lot of very useful and miscellaneous Articles.

TERMS CASH.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
fe27 Auctioneers.

Auction Sale.

The undersigned has received instructions from Mr. Thos. Ennor to sell his residence on the corner of Quadra and Chatham streets, on

Tuesday, 8th March, 1881,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

THE HOUSE HAS 5 ROOMS,

Hard finished and in first class order. Also, a splendid well of water.

After sale of House and Lot, the FURNITURE will be sold which comprise Parlor Set, marble-topped Table, two solid walnut Arm Chairs, Brussels Carpets, a small but select Library, Bedroom Furniture, Kitchen Utensils, Oilcloth, Stoves, and a number of other articles to be found in a well-kept cottage.

TERMS AT SALE.

W. R. CLARKE,
mh1 Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

The undersigned will sell at his salesrooms, Yates street,

On Saturday, 5th instant,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A.M.,

A general assortment of

FURNITURE, ETC.,

Comprising Bedroom Sets, Chairs, Tables, Hair and Spring Mattresses, Lounges, Carpets, Crockery and Toys.

ALSO—A consignment of WATCHES comprising Open-face, Stem Winders, Hunting Cases and Illuminated Dials, containing the best American Movements, all to be sold without any reserve whatever.

W. R. CLARKE,
mh3 Auctioneer.

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BOYS' CLOTHING IN GREAT VARIETY.

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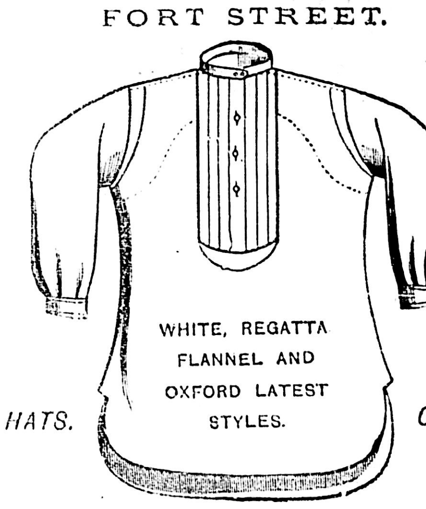

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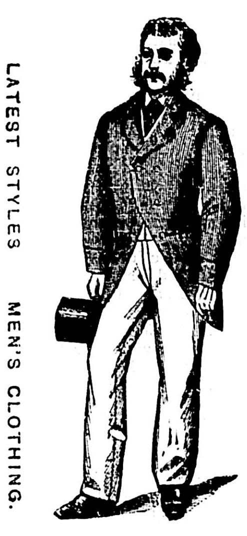

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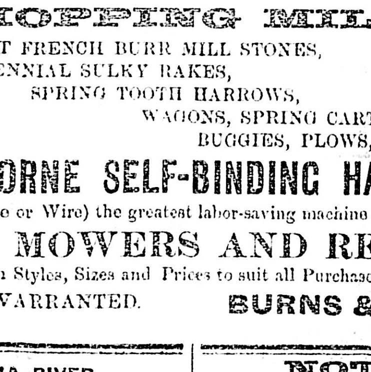

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SALMON BELLIES,

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IN HALF-BARRELS AND KITS.

FOR SALE BY

HENRY SAUNDERS, JOHNSON STREET

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STOCKS AND MINES.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Works, - - - Hixon Creek, B. C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held this 10th day of January, 1881, the 13th Assessment of One-half of a Cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable forthwith to the Secretary at the office of the company, Quesnelle, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 30th April, 1881, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment of same together with costs of advertising shall be made before, will be sold at public auction on the 10th day of May, 1881, at the office of the said Company, Quesnelle, B.C., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.

Quesnelle, B.C., 10th Jan., 1881. ja27dw

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.

Location of Works - - - Hixon Creek, B.C

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE third ordinary general meeting of the above named Company will be held at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C., on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1881, at the hour of 7 p. m.

The business of the meeting will be to receive Directors' report and to elect a Board of Directors for the ensuin year.

R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.

Quesnelle, B.C., 10th Jan., 1881. ja27dw

WAVERLY HYDRAULIC MINING CO., LIMITED.

ASSESSMENT NO. 14.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said company held on the 15th day of Jan., 1881, the 14th assessment of One Dollar per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable forthwith to Charles Wilson, Secretary, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 17th day of February, 1881, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 24th day of March, 1881, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

Barkerville, B.C., 15th Jan., 1881. ja28dw

ENTERPRISE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's office, Langley street, Victoria, B. C., on Monday the 7th day of February next, at 2 o'clock p.m., to receive the report of the Directors, to elect Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may then and there be submitted.

ThS transfer books will be closed on and after the 24th day of January and will be reopened on the 8th February.

Dated the 21st day of January, 1881.

(By order) W. POLLARD, Secretary.

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THE BEST AND CLEANEST COAL MAY BE had at the

UNION COAL YARD

AT CURRENT PRICES.

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N. B.--OFFICE on the Wharf, foot of Yates St.

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HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR

HIDES, SHEEP AND DEER SKINS

OFFICE REMOVED TO WHARF STREET, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE J. P. DAVIES & CO'S AUCTION ROOMS.

H. BORNSTEIN.

AGENT for Louis Shloss & Co., San Francisco. jy8

PILOTAGE DISTRICT OF NANAIMO.

NOTICE

APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSE AS PILOT FOR the above district should be sent in to the undersigned on or before the 8th Feb., proximo.

Due notice of time and place of examination of candidates will be given.

T. ERIC PECK,
Actg. Secty. Nanaimo Pilot Commissioners.

Nanaimo, 28th Jan., 1881. fe2

ANDREW GRAY,

CONSULTING ENGINEER

AND DAUGHTSMAN.

HAVING OPENED AN OFFICE ON GOVERNMENT street, below Fort street, I am prepared to get out Plans and Specifications for new Machinery or repairs, make estimates and call for Tenders.

I will also make Patterns and Models of every description; buy or sell machinery, &c., on commission.

Parties having secondhand Machinery for sale, or in want of the same, will do well to let me know what they want or send me description of what they have with price, as I intend to keep a list of secondhand machinery. All work entrusted to my care will be promptly and faithfully attended to.

CHARGES MODERATE. oc1

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Between JAMES REID, Plaintiff,

AND

LAURA MATHIMIA BEEDY, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Josiah Crosby Beedy, deceased, Defendant.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE MADE HEREIN the Creditors of the abovenamed Josiah Crosby Beedy, late of Van Winkle, Trader and Miner, deceased, are on or before the 5th day of March, A. D., 1881, to send in their names, addresses and full statements of their claims to John Bowron, Esq., the District Registrar, at Richfield, Cariboo. All persons indebted to the estate are to pay the amounts of their indebtedness to George Byrnes, of Barkerville, Cariboo, who has been appointed receiver. Saturday, the 19th day of March, 1881, before the said District Registrar, at the Court House, Richfield, is appointed for adjudicating on the claims. Creditors not sending in their claims pursuant to this notice will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the decree.

Dated 17th January, 1881.

(Signed) JAMES C. PREVOST,
Registrar Supreme Court, B.C.

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W. POLLARD,

BARRISTER-AT-LAW,

HAS LOCATED HIS OFFICE PERMANENTLY on Langley street, opposite the Angel Hotel and next to the Gaol.

A FIRE-PROOF VAULT is in the office.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON MORTGAGE AT LOW RATES.

TOWN LOTS FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS.

FARMS AND VACANT LAND for sale or to let.

ja13 ALLSOP & MASON, Victoria.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT JOHN ADAIR, JUNior, and Joseph Hunter will apply to the Provincial Legislature of British Columbia, at its present session, for a Private Bill granting to them a lease for mining purposes of the bed of the South Fork of the Quesnel River, and of the lands on both sides of the said South Fork along its entire length with a breadth of an eighth of a mile from the centre of the stream on both sides, and for power to erect a dam at the outlet of the South Fork Lake and to pen back the waters thereof, and for all necessary powers incident to the above objects.

Dated 3rd February, 1881.

DAVIE & POOLEY,
Solicitors for the Applicants.

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FOUND.

ON BEACON HILL A POCKET BOOK CONtaining a sum of money.

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The undersigned is appointed General Agent for this Company for the Province of British Columbia and will furnish all information as to Rates of Premium, &c.

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GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA.

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NOTICES.

CLARIHUE AND CARSON, CASSIAR.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE firm are requested to forward the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned who holds their power of attorney.

J. P. WALLS,

de21dw2m Solicitor, Bastion St., Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED FOR THE purchase of Lot 3, Group 1, Lytton District, known as Borthroyd's Ranch, at the 35-Mile Post, by the undersigned on or before 1st March next.

Tenders to specify the proposed mode of payment.

ja11dw DRAKE & JACKSON, Victoria.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TAAT M. C. DAVIS, of Glenora Landing, holds a PROMISSORY NOTE drawn by me in his favor on the 26th July, 1880, and for which I have paid him in full.

This is to warn all parties against negotiating said note. (Signed) J. C. PULLEN.

Glenora Landing, 2d Nov., 1880. fe8dw1m

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Re WILLIAM LAIDLAW, late of Yale, deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate are requested to send in the same to the undersigned; and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to pay their indebtedness to

JAMES A. LAIDLAW,
Executor, New Westminster.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of JAS. MAXFIELD, deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the said estate are requested to forward the same on or before the 12th day of January, 1881.

JOHN C. McCOMBS,

de4dw Administrator, Pavilion Mountain.

REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED THE Metropolitan Building, adjoining Victoria House, Government street, will move his business there on or about the 1st October, and open it as a first-class Grocery and Coffee Depot.

Thanking my customers for past favors I beg to assure them and the public generally that I shall always keep on hand a choice and well assorted stock of goods which I will sell at the lowest market rates.

J. FINLAYSON, Fort St.

Sept. 27th, 1880. se28

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT APPLICATION WILL BE MADE AT THE next session of the Legislative Assembly for a Private Bill to amend the Act passed in the forty-third year of Her Majesty's reign entituled "The City of Victoria Official Map Act, 1880," by granting power to Joseph D. Pemberton and Benjamin W. Pearse, the Commissioners mentioned in the said Act, to alter the Map made and filed in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles at Victoria, in pursuance of the said Act, by defining the line of Government street on the West side thereof, between Fort street and Johnson street, so that it will be in accordance with the Official Map of the said City, known as the Map of 1861; and also to amend the said Map, "The City of Victoria Official Map, 1880," by defining the boundaries of Johnson street, from the West side of Wharf street to the Sea.

Dated 24th December, 1880.

D. M. EBERTS,
Solicitor for the Applicants.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to purchase 1200 acres, more or less, of Crown land, situate on Nelson Island and Jervis Inlet, New Westminster District, British Columbia, commencing at a stake placed 10 chains from the seashore on the right bank of a creek flowing into a bay 1½ miles westward from Point Fairfax, Nelson Island; thence true east to the seashore; thence following the seashore to the mouth of the said creek; thence up right bank of said creek to the point of commencement.

No mining claims or mineral land are known to exist upon the land applied for.

J. J. ROBERTSON.

Victoria, Nov. 5th, 1880. no7

NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS (PROPERLY ENDORSED) addressed to the Trustees of the Moore Estate, will be received until 4 p. m. on Tuesday, 15th February, for the purchase of the whole, or any portion, of said property, consisting principally of the Steamer "WESTERN SLOPE," HALF INTEREST IN THE Steamer "GERTRUDE," FIVE WATER LOTS on James Bay, 1 TWO-STORY DWELLING HOUSE, 2 ONE-STORY DWELLING HOUSES, LARGE WAREHOUSE, SHIPYARD, LAUNCHING WAYS, &c. Further particulars can be obtained on application to the undersigned. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDGAR CROW BAKER,
Secty to Trustees.

5th Jan., 1881. ja6

NOTICE.

SING LEE, OF ESQUIMALT, HAVING SOLD out his Washing and Ironing Business to Leong Kum, hereby gives notice that all claims against the said Sing Lee must be presented for payment before Saturday, the 22nd inst., or they will not be allowed.

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Blood Puddings	16	"
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Frankfort Sausages	20	"
Saveloys	20	"
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Gotha Sausages	40	"
Pork Sausages	16	"

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For Duty Ex Warehouse,
In Transitu,
Settlers' Effects.
Mortgages,
Notarial Forms--For Witness, For Attorney, For Maker of a Deed.

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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Re GEORGE PAPPENBERGER, late of Victoria, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate are requested to send in the same to the undersigned; and all persons indebted to the estate are requested to pay their indebtedness to

J. D. WARREN,
H. J. HARTNELL, } Executors,
FRANK CAMPBELL, } Victoria.

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NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THIS DAY RETIRED from business and will leave for San Francisco by the next mail boat. All claims against him must be sent in to SUN YEE CHAN.

Dated 15th Feb. fe16*td

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